

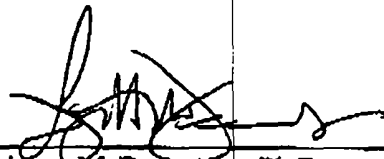
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PATENT****Remarks**

Claims 1, 2 and 11-17 are pending. Claims 2, 12 and 13 have been amended. In view of the submission of the claims listing in proper format, the reconsideration and further examination of the claims and the remarks submitted with the October 2, 2003 response are respectfully requested.

Attached hereto is a Request for Extension of Time for a two month extension to respond to the Office Action dated July 2, 2003. Also attached is a credit card authorization form PTO 2028 in the amount of \$420 for payment of the fee for a two month extension. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

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